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### WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-004229 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 05-Oct-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**OSM Arrival Time:** 1430 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 2230 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name: CWI Present:** Yes N/A No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A Yes N/A **Electrode to specification:** No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** 

**Bridge No:** 34-0006 **Component:** OBG

#### **Summary of Items Observed:**

Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Erik Prue was present to perform Ultrasonic Testing (UT) of Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) components, for the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge, at Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility on Changxing Island.

#### OBG Assembly Bay # 2

This Quality Assurance (QA) inspector arrived at ZPMC in Shanghai China for observation of Orthotropic Bridge Girders (OBG) and Self Anchored Suspension (SAS) Bridge. This QA inspector received notification from day shift task leader to perform conventional Ultrasonic (A scan) Inspection for tack welds on deck panels. The inspection is preliminary prior to using the phased array system to verify indications found with conventional Ultrasonic testing. This QA inspector performed UT on deck panel DP353-001, 5 ribs, 10 welds, 180 total tack welds. Weld 1 scanned 18 locations with 3 indications, weld 2 scanned 18 locations with 8 indications, weld 3 scanned 18 locations with 6 indications, weld 4 scanned 18 locations with 4 indications, weld 5 scanned 18 locations with 0 indications. Welds 6 through 10 were scanned by QA UT Inspector Mike Hasler. Please see U-rib Deck Panel Tack Weld Assessment report dated 05 October, 2008 for specific locations of indications. This QA inspector performed UT on deck panel DP299-001, 3 ribs, 6 welds, 108 total tack welds. Weld 4 scanned 18 locations with 4 indications, weld 5 scanned 18 locations with 7 indications, weld 6 scanned 18 locations with 6 indications. Welds 1 through 3 were scanned by QA UT Inspector Mike Hasler. Please see U-rib Deck Panel Tack Weld Assessment report dated 05 October, 2008 for specific locations of indications.

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No other activities observed.

## **Summary of Conversations:**

No signifigant conversations this day.

#### **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Peter Dauterman, 15002199593, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

<b>Inspected By:</b>	Prue,Erik	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Carreon, Albert	QA Reviewer